THE DAILY RECORD-UNION.

SATURDAY.....APRIL 3, 1880.

THE GREAT STORM.

A Helpful and Bounteous Rain in all Directions.

SERIOUS WORK IN THE SIERRAS.

Snow Plows in Operation—Extra Engines Pressed into Service.

THE CROP OULTOOK MOST ENCOURAGING.

Increased Acreage Seeded—Splendid Yield Assured.

[SPECIAL BY TELEGRAPH TO THE RECORD-UNION.]

TRUCKEE, April 2d.—A furious storm has been raging on the Sierras since 4 o'clock this morning. Snow plows are running constantly between Truckee and the Summit, and from the Summit to Emigrant Gap. At Miller's mill, four miles west of Truckee, the snow is almost as high as the top of the snow plows. A snow plow train which just arrived from the Summit came near sticking at one place on account of the heavy snow drift. All trains are running regularly, but if the storm continues until night it will require superhuman exertions to keep the road from being blockaded. Beyond the Summit 2,000 feet of snowsheds were crushed during the last severe storm, and this portion of the track lies fully exposed to the elements. Should a wreck occur a hundred men are held in readiness at this point to clear it away. A snow plow train has just arrived from the east. It is snowing very hard all the way to Bronco. There is more snow on the mountains now than at any previous time during the winter. Every train requires from one to three extra engines. The telegraph wires are badly demoralized, only three out of nine wires working.

AUBURN, April 2d.—The heaviest continuous rain of this season fell over this section during last night. The total fall during the last 24 hours was 2.1 inches.

SHASTA, April 2d.—Last night it poured down a perfect sheet of water, and the raingauge soon registered 2.7 inches. It also blew a perfect hurricane. The storm still continues unabated.

IONE CITY, April 2d.—It commenced raining here Wednesday noon, and has continued with little intermission ever since. It came down in torrents this morning for an hour. Sutter creek is full to the top of its banks. The wind is south, with every prospect of a continuation of the rain. A flood is looked for. Crops are now thought to be safe.

VISALIA, April 2d. — Twenty-five hundredths of an inch of rain fell last night. Total for the season, 9.14 inches.

FRESNO, April 2d.—Rainfall for the past 24 hours, .75 of an inch; for the season, 6.31. Wind west, and prospects are favorable for more showers. Thermometer 62°. This is splendid weather for crops.

BAKERSFIELD, April 2d.—A warm rain commenced at 4 A. M., and continued to 10 A. M. It is still cloudy and warm, and we expect additional showers.

MERCED, April 2d.—All Fools' Day gave the people of this section an agreeable surprise, ushering in the heaviest rain-storm of the entire season. On the evening of March 31st a misty drizzle commenced and continued throughout the night, becoming heavier on the morning of April 1st, and continuing to increase until about daylight this morning, when the fall became heavy and continuous, with a strong breeze from the southeast until 10 o'clock, when the wind changed and the rain ceased. The amount of water falling during the storm is 1.12 inches, and 7.82 for the season. This positively insures crops here, as far as moisture is required for their growth and maturity. It is now cloudy, with the wind south.

MODESTO, April 2d.—We have had a splendid rain, .60 of an inch having fallen. The wind is southeast, with prospects of more. This makes our farmers jubilant over the present prospects.

GONZALES, April 2d.—The whole country from the Gabilan, including the valley of Salinas, to the top of the Coast Range, is bountifully supplied with the late rain, being .85 of an inch, and the gloomy faces of last week are now smiling. This is an assurance of a good crop for 1880.

HANFORD, April 2d.—A heavy storm of rain has prevailed here since midnight, .8 of an inch falling; for the season, 9.89 inches. It is still raining.

HANFORD, April 2d.—For the storm since midnight the State Irrigation Survey gauge shows, accurately measured, .99 of an inch of rain. Total for the season over 19 inches.

SAN LUIS OBISPO, April 2d.—A warm rain set in yesterday at noon, and still continues, with 2 inches fall. Total to date for the season, about 18 inches. The prospects continue most flattering.

SANTA BARBARA, April 2d.—A heavy rain began to-day. It rained heavily here at 1 o clock this morning, and up to 11 A. M. 1.60 inches had fallen. The rain is unaccompanied by wind, and will do no injury to growing crops.

SAN BUENAVENTURA, April 2d.—The rain set in again last night, and continued heavily up to 10 o'clock this morning. One and a quarter inches had fallen, making 29 inches, against 12.50 for the whole season last year. It is doing no harm, except starting the weeds again on the corn and bean ground, necessitating another plowing before planting those crops.

LOS ANGELES, April 2d.—It commenced raining at 10 o'clock last evening, and has continued steadily until 12:15 P. M. to-day. One inch has fallen in that time. It is a warm rain, and will do great good.

SAN BERNARDINO, April 2d.—It commenced raining here last evening about 5 o'clock, raining all night, and at present is raining quite hard. Crops are now sure through the entire country.

SAN DIEGO, April 2d.—It has been raining steadily since 1 o'clock this morning; wind southeast.

CALISTOGA, April 2d.—A heavy rain-storm has been in progress since Wednesday, causing creeks to rise rapidly, and flooding the fields in some places. The amount of rainfall since yesterday morning is 1.8 inches.

PETALUMA, April 2d.—A heavy storm prevailed here during last night, rain falling all night, and the wind after midnight blowing a gale. A heavy wind from the south, with occasional showers, continues up to the present writing. It is hoped that Jack Frost has taken his final departure, as April brought a considerably modified atmosphere. It is hinted that fruit trees in blossom have been injured by the continual late frosts, but the grain outlook was never better. Some of our farmers assert that the yield the coming season will be the heaviest ever produced in the county. Certainly sufficient rain has now fallen to insure an abundant harvest for Sonoma county.

LIVERMORE, April 2d.—An inch of rain has fallen since last night, with prospects good for as much more before the storm ceases. The grain is in better condition than for some time, and more land has been seeded than ever before. The outlook for a bountiful harvest was never better, and the probabilities are that Livermore valley will produce a larger crop of cereals than any previous season. The creeks in the mountains are booming.

MISSION SAN JOSE, April 2d.—Yesterday we had several heavy showers during the day, and last night about 9 o'clock it commenced raining very heavy, and continued all through the night. To-day a heavy south wind and occasional showers prevailed, and it is preparing for another night's rain. Prospects are good for excellent crops.

GILROY, April 2d.—The storm of Thursday was a very hard one, and .79 of an inch of rain fell from noon Thursday to 8 A. M. to-day, making a total rainfall for the season of 13.62. All the streams in this vicinity are very much swollen and unable to be forded. The farmers in this vicinity are confident of extra good crops this season.

SALINAS, April 2d.—Eighty-six one-hundredths of an inch of rain fell here since Wednesday night, make a total for the season of 9.72 inches.

MARYSVILLE, April 2d.—It rained heavily last night. It has been cloudy through the day, with a prospect of more rain to-night. During the present storm 1.23 inches of rain has fallen. Total for the season, 11.94 inches.

WHEATLAND, April 2d.—The recent storm has been the means of raising Bear river to the highest point of the season. The levees are, so far as heard from, reported good, with the exception of Durst's levee, which is reported cutting badly, although a large force of men are at work on it.

PLEASANTON, April 2d.—The heaviest rainstorm of the season now prevails. There has been 2 inches of rainfall in the last 24 hours. Total for the season, 13.67 inches.

VIRGINIA (Nev.), April 2d.—We are having the worst snow-storm of the season. About a foot fell last night, and more is coming.

CURRENT ITENS.

New Orleans ladies go to balls in horse cars, and are none the worse for it. Neither are the cars.

One of the streets in Paris is about to receive the name of George Sand. It is now called the Rue de Villiers, in the Seventeenth arrondissement.

Professor Ko Kum Hua, of Harvard College, says that he likes this country very much, and does not seem enthusiastic about going back to China.

Twenty-nine journals are now published in this country exclusively by colored men—a most creditable showing for a race only seventeen years out of slavery.

The *Parisian* says that as the tendency now is the ladies will soon wear dresses so tight fitting that they will have to soak them in warm water in order to take them off.

Much unfavorable comment has been occasioned at Constantinople by the indiscretion of an English official, who went to Hobart Pasha's fancy ball attired as a Bashi-Bazouk.

Mother to her daughter, just seven years old—"What makes you look so sad, Carrie?" Carrie, looking at her baby brother, three weeks old—"I was just thinking that about ten years from now, when I shall be entering company, and having a beau, that brother of mine will be just old enough to bother the life out of me."

A lady living near Baltimore who is very deaf stopped a milkman as he was passing the house the other day, asked him how much he charged for a quart of milk, and then put up her ear-trumpet to catch the reply. The man drew a quart of milk and emptied it into the trumpet, and the result has been that he has to go three miles out of his way to keep out of sight of the lady's son, who sits on the front porch waiting for him to pass.

The most monstrous story of miserliness comes from the Russian Province of Podolia, where, in the town of Dunois, an elderly man was found dead in a garret. He had perished of cold and slow starvation with half a million of roubles in gold in the room, hidden under a heap of rubbish, which also concealed a greater sum in securities. For many years he had not been known to have a fire in his miserable lodgings or a candle at night. To save a few copecks in the price he would journey to a village several versts distant for bread, which was his principal food.

The members of the House of Lords receive in pay, pensions, etc., £351,470 13s 9d per annum. There are 275 Conservative and 208 Liberal peers. Five peerages date from the thirteenth century, five from the fourteenth, thirteen from the fifteenth, twenty from the sixteenth, and fifty-nine from the seventeenth. The members of the House of Commons receive £107,962 13s 11d per annum from the public treasury. The fighting interests are represented by 261 members, the peerage interests by 193 members, the law interests by 118 members, the railway interests by 135 members, and the commercial and manufacturing interests by 134 members.

THE NEW DEPARTURE IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

At length the old system which has endured so long seems crumbling, and new methods and new ideas appear on every side. The old system, the system beloved by the true pedagogue, is only too well known. It is the system of routine and of cram, and there are few people under forty who have not at some time suffered under it. To excite interest or arouse enthusiasm has not been considered the task of a master in the common schools. On the contrary, an interested school-room would probably be rather noisy, and hence objectionable. Scholarship has been held to consist in learning text-books by heart, and in answering by rote such questions as were printed for the master's use; that school has been the best where the routine was most iron bound, where children were drilled in their exercises like soldiers in the manual, and where excellence, in the one case as in the other, depended on turning human beings into machines. Now, apart from the fact that such discipline is pernicious, because it enfeebles the mind by overloading it with undigested matter, and crushes out originality by discouraging all independent thought, it is equally objectionable on other grounds. Long experience has proved that it is a doubtful blessing to teach a man to read, and then turn him upon the world to pick up such further education as the cheap literature of great cities affords. The immense sale of sensational newspapers of the worst class proves the truth of this fact, and is admitted to be one of the most threatening signs of the times. There is no use in attacking the publishers of criminal literature by indictment, and by fine and imprisonment. Where there is a demand there will be a supply, all the laws in the statute-book to the contrary notwithstanding. The true way to suppress such publications is by lessening the demand, and this can be done only by educating the children in the common schools to read something better. That much can be done in this direction the believers in the new departure are thoroughly convinced, and that without any great expense or radical change, except in bringing common sense to bear upon the educational problem. [March Atlantic.

TREATMENT OF SIMPLE HICCOUGH.—Dr. Grellety once saw a mother, tender and full of affection for her children, give them a morsel of sugar dipped in table vinegar whenever immoderate or too rapid repletion of the stomach or any other cause had induced hiccough. The latter ceased, as if by magic. Since then the Vichy physician has very frequently employed this means on his own account, and has never found it without avail. — [The Pharmacist and Chemist.

PACIFIC SLOPE NEWS.

DISPATCHES OF LAST NIGHT.

TROOPS ORDERED TO NEW MEXICO.

An Escaped Prisoner Recaptured in Mendocino County.

OREGON AND WASHINGTON TERRITORY

Recognition by the United States Government of Indian Heroism.

CALIFORNIA.

Assessment.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2d.—Belcher levies an assessment of 75 cents.

Republican Delegates to the State Convention.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2d.—The Republican County Committee to-night referred all the names recommended as candidates for delegates to the State Convention to the different District Committees.

Railroad Track Washed Out.

GALT, April 2d.—The train from Ione did not arrive to-day, on account of washouts. The work train left here to-night to make repairs.

Escaped Prisoner Recaptured.

UKIAH, April 2d.—Masterson, who escaped from jail yesterday, was captured by R. R. Lucas, who lives about seven miles from town in the mountains towards the coast. Masterson, coming off the mountains to the house of Lucas, was invited to dinner, after which he was informed that he was a prisoner, and that he must go back to town quietly. They arrived here about 9 o'clock P. M.

ARIZONA.

Troops Ordered to New Mexico—Bullion Shipments—Southern Pacific Railroad.

TUCSON, April 2d.—Captain Madden, with Company C, Sixth Cavalry, has been ordered to New Mexico, to assist in the protection of the settlers in that section.

Bullion shipments from Tombstone, $14,600.

The track of the Southern Pacific Railroad is laid 21 miles east of Tucson. Side tracks are being laid at Cienigo, where there will be a way station.

NEVADA.

Mining Accident.

VIRGINIA, April 2d.—At 11 o'clock last night, while the pumps at the Union shaft were being exercised, the strapping of the balance bob, 200 feet below the surface, broke. This allowed all the ballast in the bobs and rods to rest on the center piece. This broke the nose piece off. The giving way of this bob precipitated the weight on the next one below, which broke, and thus it went to the bottom of the shaft, all six of the balance bobs being broken. The engine is all right. It will take three to five days to repair damages.

OREGON.

The Political Caldron—Notice to Ship Owners and Captains—Fatal Termination.

PORTLAND, April 2d.—Weather cool, with a light rain prevailing.

General Joseph Lane, who has not taken any active part in politics since his retirement from the United States Senate and candidacy for Vice President of the United States twenty years ago, has been nominated by the Democrats of Douglas county for the State Senate.

It seems to be well settled in political circles that either Rufus Mallory, at present United States District Attorney, or M. C. George will receive the Republican nomination for Congress.

There is a report, which seems to come from a trustworthy source, that John Whiteaker, present Congressman, has written a letter positively refusing to allow his name to be used as a candidate for re-election. It is said this letter will be produced at the proper time. The supposition is that Mr. Whiteaker wants to wait and work things up for the United States Senate.

The following notice to shipowners and masters of vessels has been issued by the President and Secretary of the Portland Board of Trade: "No vessel drawing over 20½ feet ought to cross the bar except from about the 1st of May to the 1st of October, during which time it is generally smooth. Vessels drawing 18 to 20 feet of water can cross the Columbia bar at any time, while ships drawing 22 to 23 feet of water have occasionally left the Columbia river loaded with grain for the United Kingdom. Still the class of vessels most recommended by the Board of Trade for this river ought not to draw more than 20 feet when loaded, because anything over that draught is liable to cause vexatious delays in waiting for a smooth bar."

George Musson, of LaGrande, Union county, was kicked in the face by a vicious horse on the 31st, from the effects of which he soon died.

Presidential Preferences — Republican Primaries—County Convention—Held to Answer—Horse Thief in Custody—Greenback Candidate for Congress.

PORTLAND, April 2d.—In the Linn County Republican Convention yesterday, the vote for Blaine was 48, for Grant 1. Linn is the second county in voting strength in the State.

The Republican primaries will be held in this county to-morrow.

The Republican Convention for Marion county was held to-day at Salem, when delegates were elected to attend the State Convention, and a full county ticket was nominated.

William Francis, who was arrested yesterday charged with attempting to outrage a little girl, had an examination to-day in the Police Court. The defendant was held to answer before the Grand Jury in the sum of $500. All the defense Francis offered was that he had given the girl a sum of money to accomplish his diabolical purpose. In default, Francis was committed.

A. P. Harkey, Sheriff of Sutter county, California, arrived here to-day from Salem, having in custody a prisoner named George Stowe, en route to San Francisco, on a requisition from Governor Perkins. Stowe is wanted in California for horse-stealing. He was arrested in Marion county. The officer and his prisoner will leave on the steamer to-morrow.

N. L. Butler, who was nominated for Congress by the Greenback Convention, has declined to accept. James K. Sears of Polk county has been nominated in Butler's stead, and has signified his acceptance.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

A Fearful Murder—Indian Horse-Thief Killed—Daily Newspaper—Wheat Outlook.

WALLA WALLA, April 2d.—A fearful murder has just been reported from the Big Lake country. A small woman, with dark hair and eyes, was found dead with a bullet hole in the back of the head. Her clothing was completely stripped off, her ankles tied with a rope, and she had evidently been dragged up a canyon several hundred yards. In the circumstances the deed bears a striking similarity to the crime recently perpetrated in this vicinity. The officers have a good clue, and request that in furtherance of the ends of justice nothing be said at present.

An Indian was shot dead at the Umatilla Agency while under arrest for horse stealing. He was trying to escape from an Indian who had him in charge.

The Walla Walla *Statesman* issued a daily paper last Monday, which is meeting with great success.

There is great expectations for a good yield of wheat this season.

Robbed While Intoxicated—Death.

PORT TOWNSEND, April 2d.—Yesterday a man named John Gray, while intoxicated, visited the house of an Indian woman, and was robbed while there of $280. Two men named Jack Harkins and John Ryan were arrested charged with the robbery, and were bound over by Justice Morris to await the action of the next Grand Jury. Not being able to find bail, they were remanded to prison.

The paralyzed man Mattock, brought here for treatment by the steamer California from Sitka on her last trip, died on the 31st ultimo, in the hospital here. Deceased was a native of Tennessee, and has a brother in Whitman county, in this Territory.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Items from Victoria.

VICTORIA, April 2d.—The United States Consul at this port has received instructions from the State Department of his Government to recognize in a fitting manner the brave and humane conduct of the Clayoquot Indians who saved the lives of the Captain and crew of the American bark General Cobb, which was wrecked on the west coast of Vancouver Island on the 14th of January last. Mr. Francis will act with promptitude in the matter, and will forward presents such as the Indians will appreciate, by the first opportunity that offers. A handsome medal is now being prepared by the United States Department for the chief of the tribe, whose heroic conduct was the subject of much favorable comment at the time of the loss of the vessel.

At the North Wellington coal mine, Departure Bay, the ship Ericson and barkentine Malay are discharging ballast, preparatory to receiving their cargoes for San Francisco. There are no vessels at the company's wharves at Nanaimo, but there is a good supply of coal in the company's bins.

A meeting of the Vancouver Company's miners was held on Wednesday, and it is now thought that a compromise will be effected, and that the miners will resume work shortly.

POPULATION OF THE UNITED STATES.

What the population of the Republic is we shall soon know, so far as census-takers can ascertain it. Meanwhile, private statisticians are at work to see how near they can come by calculation and estimate to the actual figures. One of these puts the present population in round numbers at 43,273,000, which would make the gain since 1870 less than 5,000,000. In a work, published a good while ago, 3 per cent. of population was added to the total number each year, and the estimates were found to correspond very closely to the figures of the census. The estimate for 1870 was 40,617,608; the census was only 38,558,371; but the destruction of life by the civil war had not, of course, been anticipated. The estimate for 1880 was 54,586,795. The gain from 1840 to 1850 was 6,122,000; from 1850 to 1860, 8,250,000; from 1860 to 1870, 7,115,000. During the ten years from 1860 to 1870 Massachusetts gained 226,000, and New York 502,000. These figures show a rapid increase of gain over the previous decade, and it is claimed and acknowledged that the Southern and Western States have gained more rapidly in the past nine than in the previous ten years. Therefore the estimate of the statistician above quoted seems to be far too low. According to the best information procurable, and the most careful calculations, the census will show the population in 1880 to be fully 47,000,000, or a gain of nearly 9,000,000 over the population ten years before. The general estimate has been between 47,000,000 and 48,000,000, and there is small doubt that this will prove to be correct. It might be gratifying to the national pride to turn 50,000,000, but pride and arithmetic have nothing in common.—[New York Times.

Dividends Declared.

[By Telearaph.]

BOSTON, April 1st.—The Directors of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad yesterday declared a stock dividend of 20 per cent., and an extra cash dividend of 1¾ on the present capital, payable April 10th.

Strike Ended.

[By Telegraph.]

CLINTON (Mass.), April 1st.—The strike at the Lancaster gingham mills has ended by the operatives returning to work at the terms offered by the corporation March 1st, the day of the strike.

The Cohoes Strike.

[By Telegraph.]

COHOES (N. Y.), April 1st.—The section hands have compromised and resumed work at the Harmony Mills. The weavers and spinners are still out.

IMPORTANT ADVICE.—Beware of salves, beware of plasters, beware of eye-waters, beware of hair-dyes, beware of washes refining the skin, beware of toilet powders, and be careful in the use of scented soaps. Why? Salves make and keep the skin sore, plasters prevent wounds from healing, eye-waters do often more injury than good, most hair-dyes produce sore eyes, beautifying washes are often poisonous, ditto toilet powders, while scented soaps are usually too sharp by the free alkali they contain.

COMMERCIAL.

San Francisco Produce Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2d—1 P. M.

FLOUR—We quote the various brands as follows: Best City Extras, $6 50; Bakers' Extra, $5 75@6; Superfine, $4 12½@4 37½; interior Extra, $5 37½@5 75; interior Superfine, $3 87½@4 12½; Oregon Extra, $4 87½@5 37½; choice do, $5 50@5 87½; Oregon Superfine, $3 37½@3 75; Walla Walla Extra, $5 50@5 87½ ₩ bbl. Purchasers of round lots can obtain concessions on the above rates.

WHEAT—No receipts were reported to-day. The market continues in the same quiet condition, and we see nothing in the near future that is likely to materially disturb the existing state of things. Advices from Liverpool by telegraph this morning report the market there as drooping, and at least 1d lower for spot lots. We quote No. 1 at $1 92½@1 95; No. 2, $1 87½@1 90 ₩ ctl.

BARLEY—Market inactive. Sales alone will tell whether the recent rains have affected values. Yesterday about 1,000 ctls was shipped to Honolulu. In the absence of reported transactions we quote: Brewing at 87@87½c; feed, 82½@87½c; Chevalier, $1 50@1 75 for choice bay, and $1@1 25 for coast. At the close we hear of a sale of 300 sks coast feed at 80c ₩ ctl.

OATS—Meet with but little attention at the moment. We quote: Humboldt, $1 15@1 35; Coast, $1@1 25; Oregon and Washington Territory, $1 20@1 45; Surprise, $1 50@1 60 ₩ ctl.

HAY—Cargo lots on the wharf range from $8 to $13 ₩ ton.

BUTTER—The weakness of the past few days still continues, and the prospect is that lower prices will be reached before the market touches bottom. The regular trade is supplied at 20@22½c ₩ lb for good to choice; inferior to ordinary, 18@20c, inside rate for mixed lots from country buyers.

CHEESE—We quote: California, 12@13½c; Eastern, 16@18c ₩ lb.

EGGS—From 18 to 20c ₩ dozen is about the range today for fresh laid, the latter figure being extreme. Eastern sell a cent or two lower.

WOOL—Eastern buyers are said to be displaying no activity, but simply watching the situation. Heavy receipts are expected soon, and the market will then probably assume a more definite shape. Telegrams from Boston report the prices as well sustained, with upward tendency, owing to an increased consumption of manufactured goods. Arrivals in this city thus far this season have been chiefly from the southern coast, and quotable at 27½@32½c for burry, and 30@35c for free.

Eastern and Foreign Markets.

NEW YORK, April 2d.

BREADSTUFFS—Flour is dull and Wheat is unsettled, latter at $1 30@1 37.

WOOL—Steady.

BARLEY—Strong for the best grades of Canada.

GROCERIES—Rio Coffees are in good demand, firm, at an advance. Refined Sugars are steady.

PHILADELPHIA, April 2d.

WOOL—Firmly held at 65c for Ohio.

CHICAGO, April 2d.

WHEAT—$1 13½ for May.
BACON—$6 50 for short rib sides.
PORK—$10 67½ for May.
LARD—$7 10 for May.

LIVERPOOL, April 2d.

WHEAT—California average, 10s 6d@11s 2d; California Club, 11s@11s 6d.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK SALES.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2, 1880.

MORNING SESSION.

490 Ophir	15½@15⅞	935 Justice	1½@1 45
38 Mexican	13½@13¾	300 Alta	3½@3 15
80 G. & C.	4 ⅞	650 Julia	85c@8c
120 Best & B.	9½@9¾	175 Caledonia	16@35c
630 California	2 50@2 60	250 Silver Hill	60c
175 Con Va	2 75@2 80	110 Challenge	1 55@1 50
160 Savage	5	710 New York	25c
100 Chollar	5⅝	425 Occidental	1
1 0 Potosi	3 85	80 Lady Wash	65@60c
90 H. & N.	85	270 Andes	20@20c
300 C. Point	2 35@2 4	70 Scorpion	2 80@2
330 Y Jacket	7½@7¾	350 Ward	1 50
370 Imperial	45c	100 Leviathan	30c
60 Alpha	7@6¾	1010 Benton	2@2 20
650 Belcher	2 90@3 10	200 G. Gate	60c
do 75c assessment		150 C. Dorado	1 50
435 S. Nevada	20@19¾	100 Flowery	10c
120 Utah	8½@9	450 N. Bonanza	20c
64 Bullion	3 50@3 45	50 Mackey	15c
180 Overman	1 90@2	50 Silver Hill	60c
80 Exchequer	2 60	50 Essex	1 70
738 Union Con	33½@2½		

AFTERNOON SESSION.

355 Ray & Ely	50c	50 Syndicate	1 40
70 Eureka Con	19	200 Goodshaw	40c
50 Jackson	3	50 M. Belle	9c
80 Belmont	15c	350 Concordia	9 @65c
50 K. K. Con	3 95	200 Belvidere	2 20
300 Manhattan	1 05	650 Champion	1 10@1 05
310 Prize	1½@1 20	420 Blackhawk	75@85c
30 Argenta	60@65c	100 S. Bodie	50c
600 Navajo	30c	450 Booker	85c
700 Endowm't	30c	230 Mono	7@6¾
850 Da	90@85c	1300 Q Bee	45@40c
50 Belle Isle	1 05	20 Con Pacific	2 45
560 Hillside	75c	600 Jupiter	2@2 05
500 Paradise	60@50c	220 S. Bulwer	85@75c
830 Albion	55@60c	100 University	30c
330 Wales	3	90 Dudley	70c
130 M. Potosi	1 60@1 55	345 Addenda	80c
40 E. Mt. Dia	1@1 10	300 D Standard	85c
100 Redding	75c	370 Noonday	4 30@4 20
170 Holmes	1½@1 20	115 N Noonday	41@4 25
260 Bodie	9½	134 Mammoth	2½@2 45
200 McClinton	65c@60c	200 Orient	5c
10 0 Red Cloud	20c	100 Boston	1 25
100 Texas	2 6	365 Oro	4 15@4 10
155 Summit	1 10	100 Silver King	5
20 Bulwer	7½	200 Atlas	5c

Kansas Republicans.

[By Telegraph.]

TOPEKA, April 1st.—The resolutions of the State Convention recite that under the name of Democracy the former rebels are arrayed and are endeavoring to seize the Government by force or fraud. We are a nation. Every citizen must be secure in his rights, political and others. The unhappy cause of the negro exodus is apprehension, persecution and robbery which they suffer at the hands of their former masters, and the Government should protect them in their removal. There will be no middle ground in the coming campaign. Those who favor the perpetuity in the Union are Republicans, and will vote the Republican ticket. Those who favor violence, anarchy and the dissolution of the Republican government will vote for the Democratic candidates. James G. Blaine has the confidence of the Republicans of Kansas. We recognize in him a statesman worthy to lead the National Republican party to victory. He is the choice of the Republicans of Kansas for President of the United States, and we pledge him our united support. The resolutions were adopted.

Resolutions that previous services to the country should not debar any citizen from any position, even the highest, and that the delegates should not be instructed, were filed.

After adjournment last night the delegates from the Third District elected Andrews and Steel as delegates to Chicago. Both are Grant men, and will claim seats. The Second District delegates elected Sears and Day, Grant men.

The United States Minister to Spain.

[By Telegraph.]

MADRID, April 1st.—General Lucius Fairchild, United States Minister, presented his credentials to King Alfonso yesterday. General Fairchild expressed the friendly feelings of America towards Spain, and the King replied in a similar spirit.

MARRIED.

La Porte, March 24—Henry R. Maurer to Estelle Whiting.
Woodland, March 25—George Lambert to Kate Sturgil.
Woodland, March 29—Marion Millsap to Hattie A. Brennon.
Placerville, March 31—James White to Minnie Newell.

BORN.

Sacramento, April 2—Wife of William Winkleman, a son.
Sacramento, March 29—Wife of L. B. Rouse, a son. (Oroville papers please copy.)
Sacramento, April 1—Wife of Maurice Block, a daughter.
Los Angeles, March 30—Wife of F. Lindenfeld, a son.
Near Meadow Valley, March 19—Wife of W. D. J. Hambly, a son.

DIED.

Sacramento, April 2—John Stadler, 1 year, 7 months and 4 days.

[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place from residence of parents, corner of Ninth and M streets, to-morrow (Sunday) afternoon at 2 o'clock.]

Sacramento, March 30—Sarah A., wife of Levey B. Rouse, a native of Missouri, 18 years, 2 months and 15 days. (Oroville papers please copy.)

[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place from her late residence, on the corner of Twenty-second and Q streets, to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.]

Sacramento, April 2—George W. Daley, a native of Kingston, Canada, 36 years.

[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place from St. Rose Church, corner Seventh and K streets, to-morrow (Sunday) morning at 10 o'clock.]

Vallejo, March 30—Robert A. Mackay, 53 years and 6 months.
Georgetown, El Dorado county, March 26—William Collins, 72 years.

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H. R. STEVENS—Dear Sir: I do not like to write testimonials for advertised medicines, but the great benefit that so many of my customers have obtained from the use of VEGETINE compels me to say that with an experience of over 25 years, both in Great Britain and this country, I have never known such a useful remedy placed before the public.
J. D. L. AMBROSE,
Assistant of the Apothecaries Company of London, Member of the Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain, Licentiate in Pharmacy of the College of Physicians and Surgeons.
Corner Notre Dame and McGill streets.

MONTREAL, P. Q., January 9, 1880.
H. R. STEVENS—Dear Sir: It is with great pleasure that I inform you that the sale of VEGETINE has been on the increase in this neighborhood for the last four months, and I know of a gentleman who has taken six bottles for a very bad case of Dyspepsia and General Complaint, and now says, "Thanks to Stevens' VEGETINE, I am cured."
Yours truly, F. S. LOUIS,
No. 441 St. Lawrence Main street.

MONTREAL, P. Q., January 8, 1880.
MR. H. R. STEVENS—Dear Sir: We take great pleasure in adding to your numerous testimonials in regard to VEGETINE. We sell a great deal of it, and it invariably gives satisfaction. Several remarkable cures by its use have come under our notice, and we think it a pleasure, as well as a duty, to testify in its behalf. We remain, yours truly,
DR. LEDUC & CO.,
Chemists and Druggists.

MONTREAL, P. Q., January 6, 1880.
MR. H. R. STEVENS—Dear Sir: I have sold your VEGETINE for the last two years, and it has given general satisfaction to all who have used it. I recommend it to all my customers, and believe it to be the best article on the market for what it is for, "A Blood Purifier and General Tonic." Yours,
M. M. BOUTHILLIER & CO.,
Corner Guy and St. Antoine streets.

MONTREAL, January 7, 1880.
MR. H. R. STEVENS—Dear Sir: I have recommended and sold your VEGETINE in a great many cases indeed, but one case came under my special notice in which three bottles completely cured a friend of mine, whose case had resisted all other medicines previously tried. Yours,
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Union Lodge, No. 21, A. O. U. W., will meet in their hall, corner of K and Sixth streets, THIS (Saturday) EVENING, at 8 o'clock, for general business. Visiting brethren are cordially invited.
J. N. YOUNG, M. W.
P. L. HICKMAN, Recorder. [B. C.] ap3-1t

Stated Assembly of Sacramento Commandery, No. 2, Knights Templar, will be held at the Asylum THIS (Saturday) EVENING, at 7:30 o'clock. Sojourning Sir Knights are courteously invited to attend. By order of
WM. M. PETRIE, E. C.
W. B. DAVIS, Recorder. ap3-1t

A special meeting of the Good Templars Band of Hope will be held at Grand Army Hall, Sixth street, between J and K, at 3 o'clock, TOMORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON.
ap3-1t* [B. C.] MRS. M. E. GOULDIN, President.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—AN INTELLIGENT GIRL, FOR general housework and to *write*. One desiring a permanent home preferred. Address, with reference, in own handwriting, Postoffice Box No. 59, Sacramento. ap3-3t

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AUCTIONEERS.
WILL SELL ON
Saturday, - - - April 3, 1880,
At 10:30 o'clock sharp,
At Salesroom, No. 1016 Fourth street.
One lot Lamps, one Velocipede,
One Feather Bed, two Bar Counters,
Three dozen Brooms, six Chromos,
Six Checker Boards,
One Set Single Harness, two Collars,
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One Phaeton, one Sulky,
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And a large lot of other goods, too numerous to mention. Sale positive and without reserve.
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WILL SELL ON
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At the Lodging-house of Mrs. Norton,
No. 612 K street, between Sixth and Seventh, the entire contents of 16 rooms, consisting of three Marble-top Black Walnut Bedroom Sets, with Dressing Cases; one Brown and Red Rep Parlor Set, two Center Tables, one Hair Cloth Parlor Set, six Double Black Walnut Bedsteads, six Three-quarter Bedsteads, four Single Bedsteads, 16 fine Spring Mattresses, 16 Hair and other Mattresses, 25 pairs of fine White and Gray Blankets, 20 White Spreads, 100 pairs of Sheets and Pillow Cases, 20 Comforters, three Lounges, 16 Brussels and Ingrain Carpets, 12 Black Walnut Bureaus, Washstands, 12 Mirrors, Crockery and Glassware, one fine Medallion Range and Fixtures complete, Dining and other Chairs, etc. All of the above goods have only been in use one year, and are just as good as new.
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER of sale issued out of the Superior Court of the State of California, held in and for the city and county of San Francisco (Department No. 5), on the 17th day of March, 1880, upon a judgment and decree therein entered on the 15th day of March, 1880, in favor of D. W. C. Gaskill and against James H. Cummings, Wm. Maume, R. Thompson, F. F. Taylor, Patrick Conlon, Wm. Granlees, et al., for the sum of $19,359 47, gold coin, together with $967 97, attorney's fees, and $138 20, costs taxed, with interest on said sums from the 15th day of March, 1880, at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum, besides costs to accrue, and by me received on the 20th day of March, 1880, by which I was commanded to sell for cash, in gold coin, in the manner prescribed by law, the following described real